

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

Please amend the specification as follows:

Substitute paragraph [0002] on page 1, with the following:

[0002] U.S. patent application serial no. 09/882,787, now U.S. Patent No. 6,870,956 titled “A Method and Apparatus for Shot Detection”, filed on 06/14/2001, commonly assigned herewith, and hereby incorporated by reference.

Substitute paragraph [0003] on page 1, with the following:

[0003] U.S. patent application serial no. 10/286,053, now U.S. Patent No. 7,274,741 titled “Systems and Methods for Generating a Comprehensive User Attention Model”, filed on November 01, 2002, commonly assigned herewith, and hereby incorporated by reference.

Substitute paragraph [0004] on page 1, with the following:

[0004] This patent application is related to U.S. patent application serial no. 10/286,348, now U.S. Patent No. 7,127,120 titled “Systems and Methods for Automatically Editing a Video”, filed on 11/01/2002, commonly assigned herewith, and hereby incorporated by reference.

Substitute paragraph [0006] on page 1, with the following:

[0006] This patent application is related to U.S. patent application serial no. 10/405,971, now U.S. Patent No. 7,212,666 titled “Visual Representative Video Thumbnails Generation”, filed on 04/01/2003, commonly assigned herewith, and hereby incorporated by reference.